House Resolution No. 4517

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Show-Me State employees, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Dorothy Haralson Tur, a resident of Springfield, Missouri, will retire from her position as Secretary III with the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, on March 1, 2005, after a thirty-one-year career in state government; and

Whereas, Dorothy Tur is an outstanding individual who has faithfully performed her important duties and responsibilities with the utmost professionalism, conscientiousness, and fairness; and

Whereas, Dorothy Tur is known, admired, and respected for her helpful attitude, warm smile, and friendly manner in which she has always greeted people in and around the community, a unique quality that will be greatly missed by her many co-workers; and

Whereas, Dorothy Tur has also enjoyed recognition as a recipient of the April 2001 SSA Regional Commissioner's Citation and three Outstanding Service Awards; and

Whereas, Dorothy Tur will undoubtedly look back over the past several years and reminisce about her many worthwhile experiences and her special relationships with revered colleagues while basking in the glow of a successful career now at its end; and

Whereas, Dorothy Tur has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Stephen C. Tur; one stepson, Michael S. Tur; and six special companions, Jesse, Benny, Gloves, Dingo, Gunner, and Kimber:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in expressing deep gratitude for the superb service that Dorothy Tur has rendered to the Show-Me State during the past three decades and in wishing her ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dorothy Haralson Tur, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by	
·	Representative Mark Wright District No. 137

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4517, adopted November 23, 2004.